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## HIGH COST OF LIVING.

WITH the whole world crying hard times, trades striking for more pay owing to the high cost of living and a general hiatus on one account or another and every one complaining of war prices, it does seem paradoxical that 75,000 baseball fans were able to muster the doubloons for the first game of the great series. There must be something out of tune with the complaints or the country is willing to endure famine rather than miss the spectacle of seeing a lot of huskies twirling a ball and another lot of giants trying to stop the sphere in transit. If the truth could be sifted down it would be found that the whole trouble with the country is a superfluity of luxuries. We have grown accustomed to take life easy and none of us care to stare right in the face any of the aphorisms of Mr. Hoover and his followers. The price of coal may be high and the predictions are that it will be much higher before it gets any lower, the 5-cent loaf of bread may not recede to its former limits and the farmer may find his dreams of \$3 wheat realized, but none of us care to be first to make a real showing in the way of saving a few pennies that we may buy Liberty Bonds or do anything else to help our country. The stark fact is that few understand the country is at war, much less the necessity for making sacrifices to help along the seventeen billion Congress in providing what that august body believes is necessary to win this war. This is not the time to grow disconsolate, for the time will arrive fast enough for weeping and wailing, for tears of anguish to run down the hollow cheeks of sad and, perhaps, hungered old folks left behind by the boys in khaki. The American people are a cheerful lot of optimists and never care to gaze on the rueful side of life if they can avoid it by looking on a brighter picture, but it is safe to venture the prediction that, when the time comes, the masses will be there behind their government as unanimous as the most patriotic and thoughtful race steeped in war horrors.

Therefore, let us have our fling and enjoy the day in which we live, for the morrow may never come and each day has its own anguish and heart-burnings.

## AN INSULT TO AMERICA.

SOME of the old-time trusts that experienced the sensation of getting next Congress will appreciate the naivete of the Germans in believing anything could be done with a paltry \$50,000. If this is the way our body of national law-makers stack up before the German people we must appear a lot of cheap skates wholly unworthy of fighting and more deserving of a sound thrashing with whips than to be toasted on the end of Bosch bayonets. Under the circumstances the failure of the Von Bernstorff regime can be traced to this fact that the dealings of the gentleman in question must have been with a lot of cheap understrappers to whom the vision of a thousand dollar note was like a glimpse of Heaven and its unattainable beauty. At one time it was stated that the manufacturers of armor plate had a corruption fund of several million dollars to be employed in converting recalcitrant members of Congress and then failed to effect a change of heart among more than a petty minority of the members. The commission entrusted with conducting negotiations for the sale of the Panama canal to the United States juggled millions with the same freedom and abandon as a meatless day advocate toys with the wishbone of an overripe turkey. There is a certain poignancy about this estimate of our greatness that is simply shocking as disturbing the code established by the trust-ridden Congresses of the past which were commonly supposed to be spreading large sized greenbacks over the streets of Washington whenever they had any pet measures to pass inspection with an appropriation for purchase. It always lowers a man's sense of self-esteem to be taken for a piker. This is all the more distasteful when the insult comes from a nation that has been styling us dollar chasers and soldiers with wooden swords and all that kind of stuff. Any of the old-time correspondents with an inkling of the inside of Washington life knows that quiet little dinners for a few influential Congressmen have often been arranged with an expenditure greater than the limit set on the purchase of the entire Congressional body by the minions of the kaiser. If we are to be bought let us sell our rights and privileges for their full value and not throw them away for a mess of pottage so to speak.

## NO GLOOMS IN CAMP.

IN READING the daily newspapers and glancing over the weekly exchanges there is one rare pleasure reserved for the man with a few spare moments on his hands. This time cannot be spent more agreeably than in reading the letters of the citizen soldiery which are beginning to appear in the home papers. The boys who went forth sullenly and with dismal forebodings to enter on the life of a high private had all sorts of ogreish pictures painted by their friends concerning the treatment that would be meted out to them the moment they entered on the life of a real soldier. Now, after an experience ranging from one to three weeks, the boys are writing home glorying in the life and urging their friends to follow their example and get into the army for a real swell time. The old-time camp cook who delighted in mixing his whiskers with the butter and wiping the dishes with a dirty, greasy engine rag is a thing of the past. His place has been taken by trained chefs capable of turning the cheapest meats into most appetizing dishes and who, when it comes to roasting for an army of 50,000 men, is as dainty and deft in the exquisiteness of the flavoring as the chef of any leading \$10-a-day hostelry. Boys who have been paying \$40 and \$50 a month for table board in city restaurants confess that their wildest dreams never encompassed the royal gorges they

are getting under the new regime of Uncle Sam. One boy who is not accustomed to the dampness of the raw North Pacific writes that he has four blankets all pure wool for covering at night and he could have more if he wanted them. Then there is the new army shoe which is made to fit every wearer. It is some shoe and better by far than any a civilian with money to burn can purchase at the best city shops. A new light is breaking on the boys whose imagination of army life was contorted by the imps of gloom and, in writing home, they are proving the best publicity agents the draft law has today. Clean living, clean beds, warm rooms, abundant clothing and comfortable quarters are the attractions of every one of the new cantonments that are making the life so attractive.

Government statistical agents report that prices of food have gone down 40 per cent since the first of August, but there are many sons of Missouri who would like to be shown.

Any man has the right to aspire to a seat in the United States Senate, but in the case of Mayor Thompson of Chicago he is better fitted to be at the business end of a mule.

Still there is no reference to inviting Tonopah to send a representative to that state-wide silver jubilee that Reno is going to stage next week.

For the patriot who desires to do his bit for his country there is plenty of room in the army for any one who wants to get there.

## BASEBALL GAMES

### PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	109	81	.572
Los Angeles	96	82	.539
Salt Lake	89	81	.524
Portland	85	83	.506
Oakland	86	93	.480
Vernon	72	108	.397

### Yesterday's Results.

At Los Angeles	R	H	E
San Francisco	1	4	0
Los Angeles	9	3	2
Johnson, Schorr and Sepulveda, Stevens; Brown and Bassler.			
At Portland	R	H	E
Vernon	2	8	2
Portland	7	9	1
Hevlik and Cook; Houck and Baldwin.			
At Oakland	R	H	E
Salt Lake	6	14	2
Oakland	10	14	2
Dubuc, Hughes, Leverenz and Hanab; Goodbred and Mitze.			

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

(By Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, Sept. 28.—Cincinnati hit Hughes hard in the second inning and won the final game of the Boston series here 6 to 4. Four hits, one a double, and an error, sent in five runs for the Reds in the second inning, which proved enough to win.

(By Associated Press.) PITTSBURGH, Sept. 28.—Pittsburgh knocked Pfeffer and Cheney out of the box and hit Wachtel hard, winning the opening game of the series with Brooklyn, 10 to 2.

### THE TONOPAH PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been received: "Light in the Clearing," Bacheller; "His Family," Poole; "The White People," Burnett; "Lydia of the Pines," Willise; "Lifted Vell," King; "His Own Country," Kester; "Nonsense Novels," Leacock; "Those Times and These," Cobb; "Where

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Benz held Washington to six scattered hits and Chicago won the final game of the series, 6 to 1.

(By Associated Press.) PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Errors were responsible for the defeat of St. Louis by Philadelphia, the score being 6 to 5.

(By Associated Press.) BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The Boston Americans yesterday defeated, 2 to 0, an all-star team, recruited from leading players of the American League, with Maraville of the Boston Nationals at shortstop. The entire proceeds went to the family of the late T. H. Murnane, who, until his death last winter, was considered the dean of American baseball writers. The receipts were well over \$14,000. Cobb of Detroit, Speaker of Cleveland and Jackson of the champion Chicago Americans played the outfield for the All-Stars and contributed sensational plays. McInnis of the Philadelphia Athletics was at first; Chapman, the Cleveland shortstop, at second, and Weaver, of Chicago, at third.

Your Treasure Is Day: "Green's Fancy," McCotheon; "Changing Winds," Irvine; "The Red Planet," Locke; "The Definite Object," Farnol.



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## DISTRICT WATER SUPPLY IS TO BE INVESTIGATED

Dr. Holmquist, county health officer, is in receipt of a telegram from Governor Boyle that in the near future a physician will be dispatched to Ely for the purpose of investigating the water supply of the district, which for some time past has shown evidences of contamination of a nature which would not appear to be accidental.

In the meantime it is advised that water for domestic purposes be boiled before using. The water has improved somewhat during the past few weeks.—Ely Record.

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Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of Assessment No. 12, levied on the 20th day of July, 1917, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name	No. Cert.	Shares	Am't.
L. Ahorn	284	100	20.00
R. B. Armstrong	1456	100	10.00
R. B. Armstrong	1444	100	10.00
R. B. Armstrong	1468	100	10.00
Albert D. Ayres	1238	100	10.00
Albert D. Ayres	1212	100	10.00
P. M. Binzel	601	100	10.00
M. W. Burdick	718	100	10.00
Martin Cafferata	755	100	10.00
Daub & Co.	1561	100	1.00
O. B. Dunham	35	100	10.00
C. B. Epstine	57	100	10.00
C. B. Epstine	2696	100	10.00
C. B. Epstine	3098	100	10.00
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H. E. Epstine	1099	100	10.00
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Charles S. Fee	2522	500	50.00
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John W. Goodwin	1197	3290	40.00
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J. M. Gregory	2265	100	10.00
M. Grotjohn	2149	100	10.00
J. E. Healey	287	100	10.00
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Charles D. Olney	2355	100	10.00
Charles D. Olney	2357	100	10.00
Charles D. Olney	2372	500	50.00
Charles D. Olney	2392	100	10.00

And in accordance with law, and an order of the Board of Directors made on the 21st day of August, 1917, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary, will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Company, Room 245, Russ Building, San Francisco, California, on Thursday, the 11th day of October, 1917, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

CHARLES D. OLNEY, Secretary.

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